

News of the Suburbs.

WEST SIDE EVENTS.

Death of John W. Squiers at His Home on Tenth Street—He Was Seventy-five Years of Age.

John W. Squiers died suddenly from heart failure at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning at his home on Tenth street. He was seventy-five years of age and had been in failing health for some time. He was a native of New York and had lived in this city for many years. He was a member of the Methodist church and was a very kind and generous man. He is survived by a wife and several children.

The deceased had lived on the West Side for over twenty years. He was well known as a coal deliverer and as such was familiar to the workmen about every breaker in this section. He was born about 20 years ago in Lathrop township, Susquehanna county. His wife and the following children survive: Henry Harrison Squiers and Mrs. Philip Shaefer, all of this side. The funeral will be Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late residence.

HEPTASOPH'S ANNIVERSARY.

West Side club, No. 211, Improved Order of Heptasophs, will celebrate its fifth anniversary at Meers' hall Thursday evening. The programme of entertainment will include the names of S. M. Speedon, a famous caricaturist and humorist; Miss Lizzie Thomas, soprano soloist, and the Robert Morris quartette, consisting of Edwin Bowen, David Stevens, John W. Jones and P. H. Warren. Admission will be by invitation.

Following is the programme: Annie Laurie, Mr. Speedon; The Man Who Won't Laugh, Original S. M. Speedon, of New York; Solo, "Poor Wanderer," Miller; Elizabeth Thomas (Lilli Morgan); Artistic Impersonations, Mr. Speedon; Duet, "Flow Gently Dearest," Harry Meers, Warren and Stevens; Address, Elliot Ross; Fud and Fanny Stories, Mr. Speedon; Duet, "Excelsior," Mr. Speedon; Messrs. Bowen and Jones; Solo, "Il Bacio," Mr. Speedon; Freaks of Nature, Mr. Speedon; Marshers March, Mr. Speedon; Quartette.

The chairman will be Daniel J. Phillips, committee in charge, W. H. Coons, E. D. Jones, W. M. Earling.

HALL OF ST. LEON'S BATTALION.

Seventy couples were in the grand march of the hall held last evening in St. David's hall under the management of St. Leon's Battalion, Total Abstinence and Benevolent society. It was one of the most thoroughly successful affairs of its kind ever held on the West Side. The hall had been decorated with a neat array of American flags and bunting, with a scattering of pink in the red, white and blue. Professor Leo Crossin played for dancing. The character of the ceremonies was Thomas Tierney, Thomas J. Gilroy, assistant, Michael Hennigan directed the grand march which moved slowly to the music. The committee in charge were: General committee, Thomas Tierney, chairman; Michael Hennigan, secretary; James Regan, treasurer; James Denial, John H. Devine, John Stey, James Heister.

DEAN ADMITTED INSANE.

Jimmy Dean was sent yesterday morning to the Hillside home where he will be lodged in the insane ward. Mrs. M. J. Williams and J. J. Roberts, representing the poor board, examined Dean yesterday morning and by their authority the eccentric prisoner was sent to the home. Dean had acted in a wild way since he was locked up Thursday night by Officer Peters. He was charged with assault on his sister, Mrs. Henry Davis, Saturday morning. Dean attempted self suicide by tying a strap to his throat and to the bars and then hanging with his feet in air.

THROWN OVER AN EMBANKMENT.

John D. Davis, the piano tuner, of North Bromley avenue, met with an accident in a runaway at Taylor yesterday morning by which he sustained a dislocated shoulder. Mr. Davis was driving along Main avenue near the borough line at Oak street when a passing engine on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western tracks frightened his horse. The animal rushed ahead and making a sudden turn the buggy was thrown down a ten-foot embankment. In addition to the dislocation Davis was badly cut about the face and hands. He was brought home in another carriage.

CONSTABLE ARRESTS CONSTABLE.

Constable Joseph Dean, of the Twenty-first ward, was arrested last night by Constable Henry Burchell, of the Fifteenth ward, charged with threatening his wife. The arrest was made at

SOUTH SIDE NEWS.

Shoemaker Gavan Held in Jail on the Charge of Stealing Mrs. John Burke's Six Hens.

At the instance of Mrs. John Burke, of Pittston avenue, a warrant was issued by Alderman Ruddy for the arrest of Shoemaker William Gavan on the charge of stealing six hens, cooking them and eating them. The artist of the last was required to furnish bail in the sum of \$500 for his appearance at court.

Gavan's shop, until recently, was in a part of Mrs. Burke's house. He is a bachelor, and sleeps, cooks and eats in the shop. Mrs. Burke missed her fowl and it took her some time to discover the thief, and she now alleges that it was Gavan.

NEWS NOTES AND PERSONALS.

D. J. Reese was elected secretary of the Robert Morris Glee club at the meeting held Sunday afternoon. The club will meet tonight for rehearsal.

Jonathan Hazard, of Swetland street, has returned from a visit at Towanda.

Mrs. Phoebe Snyder, of West Pittston, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Selden Paulding, of Swetland street.

A photograph of the club was taken Wednesday evening at the Jackson Street Baptist church under the auspices of the Fidelity society.

Isella, the 3-year-old daughter of Mrs. Martin Coleman, died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Miss Ida Kaufman, of North Main avenue, was married Thursday evening to David Davis, of Decker's court, at St. Luke's parsonage. Rector Rogers officiated at the ceremony.

Company P has decided to hold a ball this season as they have in times past. The affair will be on the evening of December 15 and it will be conducted on a splendid scale.

The extended committee of Robert Morris lodge met last evening.

The young people of the First Congregational church on Main avenue will conduct an envelope social on Monday evening, December 14. Admission 10 cents. All are welcome.

The children of the First Congregational church are rehearsing a cantata entitled "The Enchanted Castle" for Christmas eve.

A ball and raffle for a watch for the benefit of Walter Carden will be held at the French Roof hall on Dec. 9.

Camp 178, Patriotic Order Sons of America, will celebrate their twenty-fourth anniversary in Meers' hall December 11, 1896. An entertainment will be given.

The Young Men's Christian culture class will meet this evening at the home of Rev. Thomas Bell, 135 North Lincoln avenue.

William V. Edwards died Sunday night at his home, 1422 Washington street, at the age of 62 years.

Mrs. Daniel Phillips and daughter, Miss Cassie, attend the funeral of a relative at Kingston last Sunday.

Miss Margaret Gibbs, of South Main avenue, left yesterday for a few weeks' stay in New York city.

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GREEN RIDGE.

The ladies of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church have nearly completed the arrangements for holding their sale, which takes place Thursday and Friday afternoon and evening. It will be held in the house formerly occupied by E. E. Teal and family on Sanders avenue. Any persons having articles which they wish to donate are requested to take them before 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Martin, of Shiloh, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graham, of Capone avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walker, of Larch street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

Tomorrow evening the Rebecca lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will serve an oyster supper in Lucas' hall, corner East Market street and Boulevard avenue.

Mrs. Brooks, of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of her brother, A. W. Jurisch, of Wyoming avenue.

Jud Stevens and Del Foote are deer hunting in the state of Wyoming.

An entertainment will be held in the Baptist church December 15 under the auspices of the Junior Baptist Young People's union.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cobb, of Marion street, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb, of Carbondale.

PROVIDENCE.

The funeral of Daniel Matthews took place yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted in the Welsh Baptist church on West Market street, by the Revs. R. S. Jones, D. D., and W. F. Davies, pastors of the Welsh Congregational and Baptist churches, respectively. The floral tributes were many and costly. The Iovites and Garfield Knights, Loyal Knights of America, of which Mr. Matthews was a member, attended in a body. Interment was made in Washington street cemetery.

Martin Barrett, of George street, was arrested the night before last by Patrolman Rothman and Hawks, on a warrant issued by Alderman Roberts, at the instance of Barrett's wife, charging him with threatening to kill. Yesterday morning he was given a hearing by Alderman Roberts, who sentenced him to jail in default of \$1,000 bail.

Evans, of Summit avenue, is seriously ill.

Lewis Huff, of Parker street, who has been ill with pneumonia for some time past, is once more able to be around.

Lieutenant Spellman has resumed work after an illness of several days.

The Father Whitty society will conduct a ball tomorrow evening in St. Mary's hall on West Market street.

DUNMORE.

Charles Adams, who has been the guest of A. P. McDonough, has returned to his home in Moscow.

John Flynn has broken ground for the erection of a new residence on Quincey avenue.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor society of the Dudley Street Baptist church, will hold a social and entertainment in the church parlors tomorrow evening, Dec. 12, on his invitation is extended to all to attend.

Patrick Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McKenney, of Spencer street, died at his home yesterday morning after a few days' illness. Funeral will take place this afternoon. Interment to be made in Mount Carmel cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hess, of Clay avenue, have gone to attend the funeral of Miss Blanche Bishop, who met death in the recent drowning accident at Hemlock Hollow. Miss Bishop was a sister to Mrs. Hess.

Colonel Ezra H. Ripple will deliver a lecture in St. Mark's parish house, Saturday evening, Dec. 12, on his experiences in Andersonville prison. The lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Men's Guild of St. Mark's mission. Admission will be 25 cents.

P. J. Moran, of the Union Cash store, has returned from New York.

An entertainment, in which some of the best local Irish comedians and variety artists will take part, is to be held in Manley's hall, Thursday evening, Dec. 10. The arrangement committee of St. Catharine's Literary society, in doing this we are making the entertainment a grand success. The admission has been placed at 25 cents.

THE BALLOONED EDITION.

It is a thing of the past. Advertisers who have tested all means of reaching the people are unanimous in the opinion that a regular sale in the regular edition brings better returns in a short period of time. The Tribune will continue its regular editions this year during the holiday season, believing that the public and its advertising patrons will be better satisfied than if it published a ballooned edition, the half of which would be cast to one side, without any material benefit to either party. In doing this we are taking into consideration the interest of our advertisers. Beware of spreading eagle editions.

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What the management promise as a very strong vaudeville organization will be seen at the Frothingham tonight and tomorrow night with a Wednesday matinee. It is the Star Specialty company which will be seen at reduced prices, the evening prices having been fixed at from 15 to 25 cents, while the Wednesday matinee will be given at 10, 20 and 30 cents. One of the special features is the world famous kinematograph fresh from its triumphant career in every European capital. First appearance of Europe's protean dancers, St. Alva and Fanchette, the cleverest singers and dancers ever imported. American debut of Apollo, the king of wire dancers. First time in America of Horace W. F. Benners, England's best baritone.

Chauncey Olcott will be seen at the Frothingham Thursday night in "Mavourneen" which will be produced as a benefit for the Scranton Glee club. "Mavourneen" is a play for the masses and a dainty tid-bit for the dramatic epicure. It is thoroughly consistent, brilliant of sparkling wit and beautiful melodies. The glorious tenor voice, happy manners and finished art of Chauncey Olcott make him the ideal Irish lad of the romantic drama. In bringing up the humor to nature, he has no superior on the stage today.

The sale of seats opens tomorrow morning for the second annual visit of the Frank Daniels Comic Opera company to this city. It will be seen Friday night at the Frothingham. The favorable impression made here by this organization last season in "The Wizard of the Nile" is still remembered. While there are few comic opera stars who have gained so great a reputation in this country, there are none who have achieved this end in one season as was done last year by Mr. Daniels. The great care exercised in the way of production as to supporting company, scenery and costumes in the presentation last year is again shown for the second one, and everything is again new, except the prominent members of the cast, whose success last season made it more than advisable they should be retained for the roles they created. A new Cleopatra, Miss Edna Thornton, will be seen.

V. M. C. A.'S SECOND CONCERT.

Will be given tonight by the New York Male Quartette.

The New York male quartette and Miss Nellie Nichols, elocutionist, will tonight be the entertainers in the second concert of the Young Men's Christian association concert. The programme follows:

FIRST PART.

Soldier's March.....Becker
New York Male Quartette.
"The Story of the Quaker".....Stansburg
Miss Nichols.
"Heart's Delight".....Gilchrist
Miss Nichols.
"Little Jack Horner".....Callicott
New York Male Quartette.
"The Fair Son of the Mountain".....Bunner
Miss Nichols.
"The Red Seal".....Bonheur
Mr. Lane.

SECOND PART.

Melley.....(Arr.) Groom
New York Male Quartette.
"Because I Love You".....Hawley
Mr. Dean.
"Her Favorite Story".....Adapted
Miss Nichols.
"Toreador Halls".....Trotter
Mr. Bryan.
"A Stream of Silver Moonlight".....Gabel
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